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## ASH GROVE CEMENT WEST, INC.

### Inter-Office Memorandum

Date September 17, 1985

To Erik Voldbaek

From Ken Rone ✓

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1. Gypsum haul completed with 7204 tons.
2. Visited Portland Office to review slag situation with C-Itoh representatives.
- 8/16 (3) District Attorney proposed settlement of charges relating to cement in the Duwamish River. Condition would be guilty plea to Clean Water Act violation, other charges dropped, and a \$5000 fine paid to an organization doing work on the Duwamish. Our attorney will attempt to negotiate a no contest plea or if not possible, a lowering of the fine. He will also request clarification of unusual "donation" aspect of payment.
- 9/15 (4) F.L. Smidth representative visited to assist with solution of symetro input shaft seal problems.
5. Stevedoring company quoted \$7.50/ton to unload slag into trucks at Terminal 115 in Seattle.
6. Met with "mining engineer" who has experience in quarry permitting and development. He will submit a resume, fees and references.
7. Shipment tonnage for August was 29,800 tons. Highest to date for AGCW.
8. Showed safety file to all employees. Held one Safety Committee Meeting and one department walk through. One reportable accident not involving doctor's care was reported.
9. Shipped two loads of Durkee Oil Well cement to Halliburton. Completed 50 bag bulk order with much increased efficiency over last order.
- 8/16 (10) #1 Separator Gearbox shows bearing damage and will be changed out with rebuilt unit.
- 9/15 (11) Began relocation of much needed dust collector for clinker unloading elevator.
- 9/15 (12) Ground 2500 tons of Type I cement. ~~at Mr. Post's request~~ from straight Durkee clinker. This will be designated Type I-D.
- 9/15 (13) Work at White River Quarry is progressing. Blasting, move-in, and set-up have been completed. Processing has begun. Many delays have resulted from weather, scheduling or equipment problems.

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a/s (14) Recommend immediate contact with Allied Corp to determine asking price of Blum property. It is a valuable silica and alumina resource and should be kept from our competition if economically reasonable.

15. Visitors: Ken Gould, Ron DeLeenheer.

*Ron*